IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Knopfle et al.

Serial No.: 10/759.458 Group: 2859

Attry. No.: 60,500-116 Examiner: Reis, Travis M.

Filed: January 16, 2004

Title : SYSTEM AND DEVICE FOR MEASURING BONE SCREWS

ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated 02/24/2006, Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the fees for the One-Month Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 08-2789 in the name of Howard & Howard. If additional fees are required the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-2789.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS, P.C.

June 9, 2006 /TRENT K. ENGLISH/

Date Trent K, English, Registration No. 56,951

The Pinehurst Office Center 39400 Woodward Avenue, Suite 101 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304-5151

(248) 723-0462

G:\s\stryker\leibinger\ip00116\patent\OneMoExtension of Time.doc